ELAS-127727736 SERFF Tracking Number: State: Arkansas State Tracking Number: AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company 50041 Filing Company:

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EQUI-VEST Series 900/901 Product Name:

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# Filing at a Glance

Company: AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company

Product Name: EQUI-VEST Series 900/901 SERFF Tr Num: ELAS-127727736 State: Arkansas TOI: A02.1G Group Annuities - Deferred Non-SERFF Status: Closed-Approved- State Tr Num: 50041

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Sub-TOI: A02.1G.002 Flexible Premium Co Tr Num: 2011EDCROTH-G State Status: Approved-Closed

Filing Type: Form Reviewer(s): Linda Bird

Author: Robert Palermo Disposition Date: 10/20/2011 Disposition Status: Approved-

Date Submitted: 10/17/2011

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Implementation Date:

Closed

Implementation Date Requested: 11/21/2011

State Filing Description:

### General Information

Project Name: EDC ROTH Endorsement Filing Status of Filing in Domicile: Not Filed

Project Number: 2011EDCROTH-G Date Approved in Domicile: Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval **Domicile Status Comments:** 

Explanation for Combination/Other: Market Type: Group

Submission Type: New Submission Group Market Size: Small and Large

Group Market Type: Employer Overall Rate Impact:

Filing Status Changed: 10/20/2011

Created By: Robert Palermo Submitted By: Robert Palermo

Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

State Status Changed: 10/20/2011

Please see attached filing letter for details.

# Company and Contact

### **Filing Contact Information**

Gregory Prato, Assistant Vice President greg.prato@axa-equitable.com 1290 Avenue of the Americas, 14th Floor 212-314-5710 [Phone] New York, NY 10104 212-314-3380 [FAX]

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**Filing Company Information** 

AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company CoCode: 62944 State of Domicile: New York
1290 Avenue of the Americas, 14-10 Group Code: 968 Company Type: LIFE Insurance

New York,, NY 10104 Group Name: State ID Number:

(212) 314-2921 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 13-5570651

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# **Filing Fees**

Fee Required? Yes
Fee Amount: \$50.00
Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation: 1 form - \$50.00 each (AR Fee) = \$50.00

Per Company: No

COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

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# **Correspondence Summary**

### **Dispositions**

| Status              | Created By | Created On | Date Submitted |
|---------------------|------------|------------|----------------|
| Approved-<br>Closed | Linda Bird | 10/20/2011 | 10/20/2011     |

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# **Disposition**

Disposition Date: 10/20/2011

Implementation Date:
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Comment:

Rate data does NOT apply to filing.

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| Schedule                   | Schedule Item                  | Schedule Item Status Public Access |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Supporting Document</b> | Flesch Certification           | No                                 |
| <b>Supporting Document</b> | Application                    | No                                 |
| <b>Supporting Document</b> | Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo | No                                 |
| <b>Supporting Document</b> | Variable Text Memorandum       | Yes                                |
| <b>Supporting Document</b> | Filing Letter                  | Yes                                |
| Form                       | ENDORSEMENT APPLICABLE TO      | Yes                                |
|                            | DESIGNATED ROTH CONTRIBUTIONS  | S                                  |

TO CONTRACTS FUNDING

**GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYER PLANS** 

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### Form Schedule

Lead Form Number: 2011EDCROTH-G

| Schedule | Form     | Form Type   | Form Name             | Action  | Action Specific | Readability | Attachment |  |
|----------|----------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--|
| Item     | Number   |             |                       |         | Data            |             |            |  |
| Status   |          |             |                       |         |                 |             |            |  |
|          | 2011EDCR | Certificate | ENDORSEMENT           | Initial |                 |             | 2011EDCRO  |  |
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|          |          |             | FUNDING               |         |                 |             |            |  |
|          |          |             | GOVERNMENTAL          |         |                 |             |            |  |
|          |          |             | <b>EMPLOYER PLANS</b> |         |                 |             |            |  |

# ENDORSEMENT APPLICABLE TO DESIGNATED ROTH CONTRIBUTIONS TO CONTRACTS FUNDING GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYER PLANS

In this Endorsement "we", "our" or "us" means AXA Equitable. Any reference to "Contract" will also include "Certificate"; and any reference to "Annuitant" will also include "Participant" for purposes of this Endorsement. The provisions of this Endorsement apply to Contracts funding governmental employer plans and do not apply to any other Contracts, including those funding tax exempt employer plans.

This Endorsement is intended to meet the requirements of Section 402A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code").

The Contract is amended as follows:

### SECTION on CONTRIBUTIONS: (The following is added to the end of this Section)

Contributions remitted to the Contract must use the allocation method approved by us that shows the source and the amount of each type of Contribution for each Annuitant.

If permitted by the Plan and as reported to us by the Employer, or the Employer's Designee, where applicable, Contributions to the Contract determined by reference to compensation may be made as "designated Roth contributions" under Section 402A of the Code. Also if permitted by the Plan, and subject to our documentation requirements and procedures, we will accept (a) direct transfers of designated Roth contribution funds from another funding vehicle under the Plan or another governmental employer plan and (b) direct rollovers of designated Roth contribution funds from an applicable retirement plan described in Section 402A(e)(1) of the Code, which may be either a governmental employer Section 457(b) plan, a 401(k) plan, or a 403(b) plan.

#### **Separate Accounting**

If Contributions to the Contract determined by reference to compensation are made as designated Roth contributions as described above, we will maintain for the Annuitant a designated Roth Contribution Account for such Contributions. Income, gains, losses, and any other amounts credited or charged under the Contract will be separately allocated to this designated Roth Contribution Account on a reasonable and consistent basis. Employer contributions may not be allocated to this designated Roth Contribution Account. If, in addition to making designated Roth Contributions to the Contract determined by reference to compensation, the Plan permits direct rollover Contributions to the Contract of designated Roth contribution funds from another applicable retirement plan as described above, we will maintain for the Annuitant a second designated Roth direct rollover Contribution Account for such Contributions. Income, gains, losses, and any other amounts credited or charged under the Contract will be separately allocated to the designated Roth direct rollover Contribution Account.

The separate accounting requirement will apply from the time any designated Roth Contribution is made and ends only when all amounts in designated Roth Contribution Accounts are completely distributed in accordance with the terms of this Contract.

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If permitted by the Plan, as reported to us by the Employer, or the Employer's Designee, where applicable, the Annuitant may elect the source of a transaction: That is, whether a withdrawal, transfer, loan or other distribution permitted under the Plan and Contract will be made from a designated Roth Contribution Account or from other accounts maintained for the Annuitant under this Contract.

### SECTION on DIRECT ROLLOVERS: (The following is added to the end of this Section)

### **Limits on Distributions**

For purposes of Sections 457(d) and 401(a)(31) of the Code, amounts from a designated Roth Contribution Account may be directly rolled over only to another plan maintaining a designated Roth contribution account or to a Roth IRA.

AXA EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Mark Pearson,

Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

Karen Field Hazin, Vice President, Secretary and Associate General Counsel]

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# **Supporting Document Schedules**

Item Status: Status

Date:

Bypassed - Item: Flesch Certification

Bypass Reason: Not applicable to Variable Annuity/SEC regulated product.

**Comments:** 

Item Status: Status

Date:

Bypassed - Item: Application

Bypass Reason: Not applicable - Please see filing letter.

Comments:

Item Status: Status

Date:

Bypassed - Item: Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo

Bypass Reason: N/A, no Actuarial Memorandum for this endorsement filing.

Comments:

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Variable Text Memorandum

Comments: Attachment:

VTM 2011EDCROTH-G.pdf

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Filing Letter

Comments:

Attachment:

AR- Equi-vest Series 900-901 EDC Roth Filing Letter.pdf

# AXA EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

# Statement of Variability For Endorsement 2011EDCROTH-G

The following comments describe the nature and scope of the illustrative and variable material contained in the endorsement form shown in brackets.

1. **Page 2:** The Company Officer's signatures and titles are bracketed and may change in the future.



Susan Shamlian Director - Policy Forms Annuity Product Management & Filing

October 17, 2011

Mr. Jay Bradford, Insurance Commissioner Arkansas Insurance Department 1200 West Third Street Little Rock, AR 72201-1904

RE: AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company

**NAIC No.:** 968-62944 **FEIN** 13-5570651

2011EDCROTH-G - Endorsement

Dear Mr. Bradford:

We are filing for approval the above referenced Endorsement. This form is new and will not replace any previously approved form. Upon approval, this form will allow governmental plans utilizing the forms described below to accept designated Roth contributions.

The enclosed Endorsement is designed in accordance with Section 2111 of the Small Business Jobs Act of 2010, PL 111-240, which amended Section 402A(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permit designated Roth contributions to be made to governmental employer Section 457(b) plans. The Endorsement has been developed with the advice and approval of our Senior Tax Counsel.

Endorsement 2011EDCROTH-G will be applicable to our existing owners and new owners as noted in the chart below.

| Contract/Certificate       | Date Approved by the | State File No. | Type of Owner   |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
|                            | Department           |                |                 |
| 2004EDCGAC/2004EDCCERT-A   | 04/29/2005           | 28212          | For New and     |
|                            |                      |                | Existing Owners |
| 2009EDCGAC901/2009EDC901-A | 06/16/2009           | 42632          | For New and     |
|                            |                      |                | Existing Owners |

In addition, we have enclosed a Memorandum of Variable Material. This Endorsement does not affect the Actuarial Basis Memorandums currently on file with the Department for each of the previously approved Contracts/Certificates listed above.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you may contact me at (212) 314-6742 or Greg Prato at (212) 314-5710.

Sincerely,

Juan Shaha

Susan Shamlian Director - Policy Forms